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6 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

7 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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9 TEODORA VELAZQUEZ, et al.,

No. C-13-1404 MMC

10 Plaintiffs,

11 v.
12 ORDER DENYING AS MOOT MOTION
13 WASTE MANAGEMENT NATIONAL
14 SERVICES, INC., et al.,
15 Defendants. /
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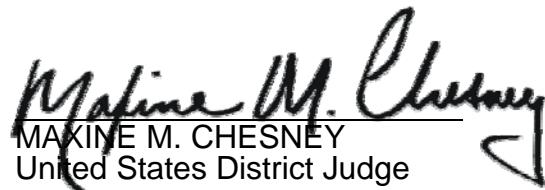
17 On April 5, 2013, defendants filed two motions: (1) a motion to dismiss plaintiffs'
18 initial complaint, and (2) a motion to sever certain claims from the initial complaint. On April
19 26, 2013, plaintiffs filed a First Amended Complaint.

20 “[A]n amended pleading supersedes the original, the latter being treated thereafter
21 as non-existent.” Bullen v. De Bretteville, 239 F.2d 824, 833 (9th Cir. 1956), cert. denied,
22 353 U.S. 947 (1957).

23 Accordingly, defendants’ motion to dismiss the initial complaint and defendants’
24 motion to sever claims from the initial complaint are hereby DENIED as moot.

25 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

26 Dated: May 13, 2013

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MAKINE M. CHESNEY
United States District Judge